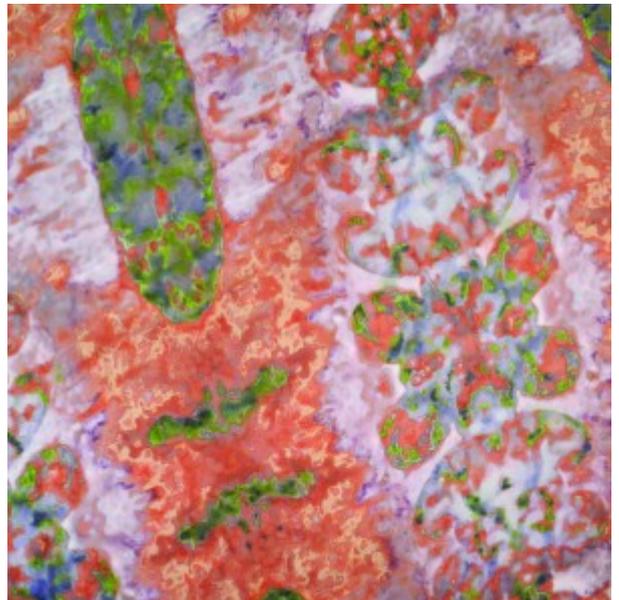


Sally Van Orden's Silk Paintings in the Mezzanine Gallery in September

Sally Van Orden will present an exhibition titled *Fossilized Memories* in the Delaware Division of the Arts Mezzanine Gallery from September 7-28, 2012. The Gallery, open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., is located in the Carvel State Office Building, 820 N. French Street, Wilmington. There will be a reception to meet the artist on Friday, September 7 from 5-8 p.m. as part of Wilmington's Art Loop.



This solo exhibition of Van Orden's work will showcase imagery that suggests fossil laboratory slides, samples and cross-sections depicted in a silk painting medium. The artist uses past imagery of organic structures and reconstructs them in two-dimensional and three-dimensional works.

Van Orden received her MFA from Texas Tech University and is currently an Associate Professor of Art at West Chester University. Sally Van Orden has exhibited her work regionally, nationally, and internationally and is included in public and private collections. She is the recipient of a 2012 Delaware Individual Artist Fellowship in Crafts.